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10/731,813	Jean-Claude Morizot	06379.00003	5742

TITLE OF INVENTION: STABILIZED EARTH STRUCTURE AND METHOD FOR CONSTRUCTING IT

APPLN. TYPE	SMALL ENTITY	ISSUE FEE	PUBLICATION FEE	TOTAL FEE(S) DUE	DATE DUE
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Serial No. 10/731,813

Filed: December 9, 2003

Attorney Docket No. 06379.00003

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		First Named Inventor	Jean-Claude Morizot
		Art Unit	3673
		Examiner Name	Frederick L. Lagman
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for FY 2005**☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Application Number	10/731,813
Filing Date	December 9, 2003
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	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	-----
Design	300	100	100	50	150	65	-----
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	-----
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	-----
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	-----

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Fee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

Multiple dependent claims

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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Small Entity	
Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
50	25
200	100
360	180
Multiple Dependent Claims	
Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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